## MINUTES REGULAR MEETING November 16, 2020 1:30 P.M.

The Monahans Economic Development Corporation of the City of Monahans, Texas convened on the above date at 1:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers of City Hall at 112 West Second Street with the following members, officers and visitors present:

Brian Franks	MEDC President
Richard Erwin	MEDC Vice President
Camilla Blum	MEDC Secretary
Hal Upchurch	MEDC Board Member
Eddie Nelms	MEDC Board Member
Ashley Adauto	MEDC Director
Rex Thee	City of Monahans Manager
Teresa Burnett	Monahans Chamber Director
Carroll Faulkner	Digital Fields
Dean Rasmuson	Maverick Engineer
Christy Sullivan	The Monahans News

ITEM #1 Brian Franks, President called the meeting to order at 1:30 P.M.

ITEM #2 Presentations by citizens to be heard.

**ITEM #3** Presentation by Carroll Faulkner to Update Status on the Telecom Consulting Service Related to Design and Construction of a Fiber Loop to Serve the City of Monahans, Texas.

**ITEM #4** Motion made by Richard Erwin, seconded by Camilla Blum to approve Minutes of the October 19, 2020, Regular Meeting with the correction of Hal Upchurch abstaining from item NO. 4.

Votes were as follows:	"Aye"	Brian Franks
	"Aye"	<b>Richard Erwin</b>
	"Aye"	Camilla Blum
	"Aye"	Hal Upchurch
	Abstain	Eddie Nelms

Motion Carried

ITEM #5 Motion made by Camilla Blum, seconded by Richard Erwin to approve Financial Report.

Votes were as follows:	"Aye"	Brian Franks
	"Aye"	Richard Erwin
	"Aye"	Camilla Blum
	"Aye"	Hal Upchurch
	"Aye"	Eddie Nelms
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Motion Carried

ITEM #6 Motion made by Camilla Blum, seconded by Hal Upchurch to approve Accounts Payable.

Votes were as follows:	"Aye"	Brian Franks
	"Aye"	Richard Erwin
	"Aye"	Camilla Blum
	"Aye"	Hal Upchurch
	"Aye"	Eddie Nelms
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Motion Carried

**ITEM #7** Motion made by Camilla Blum, seconded by Eddie Nelms to approve Resolution 2020-021, a Warranty Bond with Higginbotham for Monahans Parkway Phase I from LOA Land Development.

Votes were as follows:	"Ave"	Brian Franks
	"Aye"	Richard Erwin
	"Aye"	Camilla Blum
	"Aye"	Hal Upchurch
	"Aye"	Eddie Nelms
Motion Carried	-	

**ITEM #8** Motion made by Richard Erwin, seconded by Eddie Nelms to approve Grant Contract for the Monahans Fiber Project with the King Foundation.

Votes were as follows:	"Aye"	Brian Franks
	"Aye"	Richard Erwin
	"Aye"	Camilla Blum
	"Aye"	Hal Upchurch
	"Aye"	Eddie Nelms
Motion Carried		

ITEM #9 Board reviewed and discussed: -East Monahans Subdivision -Sales Tax

**ITEM #10** EXECUTIVE SESSION: President, Brian Franks read the statement aloud "The Monahans Economic Development Corp. Board will begin its Executive Session on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November 2020 at 2:05 P.M.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Open Meeting Law- Texas Government Code, in accordance with the authority contained in:

- (a) Section 551.071 Consultation with Attorney
- (b) Section 551.074 Personnel Matters

**ITEM #11** OPEN SESSION: President, Brian Franks read the statement aloud "The Monahans Economic Development Corp. Board has completed its Executive session on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November 2020 at 2:23 P.M.

(a) Section 551.072 Consultation with Attorney

## NO ACTION

(b) Section 551.074 Personnel Matters Motion made by Hal Upchurch, seconded by Richard Erwin to approve \$65,000 salary to MEDC Director.

Votes were as follows:

"Aye"	Brian Franks
"Aye"	Camilla Blum
"Aye"	Richard Erwin
"Aye"	Hal Upchurch
"Aye"	Eddie Nelms

Motion Carried.

**ITEM #12** Motion was made by Camilla Blum, seconded by Hal Upchurch to adjourn the meeting at 2:24 P.M.

Votes were as follows:	"Aye"	Brian Franks
	"Aye"	Richard Erwin

"Aye" "Aye" "Aye" Camilla Blum Hal Upchurch Eddie Nelms

ATTEST:

Brian Franks- President

Camilla Blum- Secretary

Motion Carried